



United Methodist Children's Home

Safe Place. Safe Space. Providing a Continuum of Care Since 1911

In-Kind Gifts

Thank you for thinking of the children of UMCH. We have been blessed with an abundance of items from many generous donors. All of us appreciate your thoughtfulness. Our foremost and ever-present need is for financial gifts. Your donated dollars allow us to purchase exactly what the children need when they need it, in the exact quantities or sizes that they need. If you choose to make an in-kind gift, however, below is a list of items that will be appreciated and put to good use.

Please note that we have only boys ages 10 and above in residence on our Worthington campus.

- New bath towels and washcloths
- New twin size sheets - fitted and flat - and pillowcases
- New containers of unscented laundry detergent
- New containers of unscented laundry bleach
- New containers of face soap or shower soap
- New full sizes of toothpaste
- New toothbrushes
- New kitchen dish sponges
- New kitchen dish towels
- New brooms and dustpans
- New heavy duty vacuum cleaners
- New backpacks
- New school supplies
- New art supplies
- Current video equipment and new, PG 13 appropriate games
- New, unexpired, non-perishable food in large #10 cans
- New, non-plush, toys or games

We are usually in need of new furniture, furnishings, entertainment equipment or other items for the children's cottages. These items need to meet certain safety and durability criteria, so please be sure to check with us in advance for an in-kind gift of this nature. Call 614-885-5020 x 563 or email dlewis@UMCHohio.org If your items are not able to be used by UMCH, we will direct you to another organization that may be in need.

Gift cards to certain establishments can occasionally be of assistance. We will first recognize the intention of the donor before utilizing gift cards for other uses that serve children and families.

We are unable to accept used toys, books, clothing, shoes, linens, suitcases, electronics, dishes, pots and pans, or other household items. But we will be happy to direct you to organizations that can put these items to very good use.

Thank you!

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